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county, that the same has been paid at any provious CHAF. 54. time, to any person authorised to receive the same, it shail prevent the said Bruce, and his deputies from collecting said claim in the manner prescribed by law for collecting such claims; and provided also, that Exception as to nothing in this act contained shall be construed to effect the estate of a deceased person, except to authorise the said Bruce or his deputies, to recover any claim on balance due by a deceased person in the same manner that claims against deceased persons are now recovered by law; and provided also, that this act shall Limitation. only continue in force for one year from its passage.

CHAPTER 54.

A further supplement to the act to Incorporate the Geor-Passed Feb. 23, ge's Creek Mining Company.

WHEREAS, by the act, entitled, an act to incorpor- Preamble; ate the George's Creek Mining company, passed at December session, in the year eighteen hundred and thirty-five, and the supplement thereto, it is provided that the capital stock of the company thereby incorporated shall consist of three thousand shares of one hundred dollars each, in addition to the lands of John H. Alexander and Philip T. Tyson, which are required to be subscribed in manner and form as is therein particularly mentioned; and whereas it is represented to this General Assembly that the whole amount of the money capital authorised as aforesaid, has not been subscribed, but that the said Alexander and Tyson are willing to proceed with the organization of the company incorporated as aforesaid, and to erect on their aforesaid lands, costly and extensive works for the manufacture of iron; provided, the said company after its organization shall be permitted to take additional subscriptions to its capital stock to the aforesaid amount of three hundred thousand dollars.

SECTION 1. Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Future sub-Maryland, That if at the time of the organization of the scriptions aucompany incorporated by the aforesaid act and its supplement the aforesaid sum of three hundred thousand dol-